

SATURDAY, JUNE 27, 1885.

GEORGE T. BLAKEY is the Republican candidate for the Legislature in Logan County.

JOHN W. THROCKMORTON is the Republican legislative candidate in Harrison County.

DR. H. C. KROM, of the Cynthiana Democrat, is an applicant for a Deputy Collectorship under Collector Davidson.

It is currently reported that the office of Public Printer has been tendered to and accepted by James Elverson, the Philadelphia publisher.

It is understood that ex Gov. Reynolds, of Missouri, has been definitely tendered the Spanish Mission, with which the names of the Hon. Thomas L. Jones and Gen. William Preston, of Kentucky, have been associated.

A. M. KEILEY, of Virginia, who was appointed Minister to Austria, has been recalled on account of a protest received from the Austrian Government. This action was decided upon at a meeting of the cabinet, on Thursday.

DURING the month of May the value of merchandise exported from the United States amounted to \$49,760,612, and the value of imports amounted to \$45,659,632. During the twelve months ended May 31 the excess of the value of exports over imports of merchandise was \$166,699,747.

THE annual statement of the Postoffice Department of the adjustment of salaries of the Presidential postmasters is of unusual interest. This is the first statement made since the two-cent postage has been in operation for the four quarters of the fiscal year. The last report covered six months under the old three-cent law and six under the two-cent law, and consequently did not offer a fair basis of calculation with reference to the results of the change. This year, however, is a fair test of the decrease under the two-cent law, and this falling off is not so radical or extended as was a year or two ago anticipated. There are 134 Presidential offices relegated to the fourth class out of 2,353 post offices. Of the latter number 71 are first-class offices 382 second class, 1,766 third-class. New Presidential offices (all third class) are 12, and the total number of Presidential offices to begin the new year is 2,231. The aggregate salaries for these will be \$3,627,900.

SCHOOL NOTES.

DOVER NO. 2.

This was not reported earlier because it was not in session when the others were visited. The school house is a two-story brick, very pleasantly located on the south side of town, with the village on one hand, and the country, with its green fields and picture-que hills in the distance, on the other. The school rooms are good and well furnished with patent seats. And here is a commentary on the imperfection of our school law. This furniture was purchased by the trustees, and the money to pay for this, as well as new floors and other substantial repairs was advanced by two of the board: T. C. Westfall and Jas. N. Boyd. This money—three or four hundred dollars—was paid out some two years ago, and yet there is no provision made to reimburse the trustees who have advanced it. Our law makes no provision except by a vote of tax for this kind of expenditure. And I firmly believe that if given an opportunity to vote on the question of a tax to pay this debt, the taxpayers of this district would no longer leave the burden of this improvement of the school house on their public spirited and efficient trustees.

The teachers of the Dover school are Mrs. Mary P. Eckman and Miss Jennie Weaver. When we visited the school, which was during the last month, the two rooms were consolidated, and we did not see Miss Weaver at work in the school room, but her work must be very satisfactory or she would not have been employed for fifteen years in this school. Mrs. Eckman is a teacher of experience and ability. She rises above the mere hearing of lessons, to the great principles of training and development of character. We must, however, notice her method of teaching history. After having carefully studied the lesson, the pupil is required to write from memory, in his own language the history. These lessons being written in a book, or the papers being preserved in their consecutive order, form at the close of the term a synopsis of all the history lessons. Not only that, but carefully reading and studying the history in order to write it in their own language, the pupils become interested in its study. We have two of these papers, the one prepared by Miss Dora Anderson and the other by Miss Lizzie Westfall, a little girl, and the advantages of this method is well illustrated by the work itself. It is especially pleasing to see what interest the youngest pupil takes in history. The reading classes were indeed good. They show that they have a teacher with ideas above the mere calling over the words.

The trustees of Dover public school are John S. Wilson, T. C. Westfall, Oscar Hanna, James N. Boyd and James N. Wilson. They have been very attentive on the school, as have the patrons. The session just closing has been very satisfactory. There is decided interest in school work in Dover. A district fixed by a special act of the Legislature was secured last winter a year ago, but was not satisfactory in its boundary. This will probably be amended this winter, and the Dover school freed from this vexatious question will have before it a new era of usefulness and success.

L. W. GALBRAITH.

HELPING THE GOVERNMENT.

The Chamber of Commerce Wants to Complete the New Postoffice.

CINCINNATI, June 27.—The announcement was made some weeks ago that on account of the exhaustion of the appropriation all work on the custom house, except that already contracted for, would have to cease.

The exhaustion of the appropriation was due to the neglect of proper officers at Washington, who were under the impression that that the appropriation made was sufficient to complete the building, and who did not take trouble to find out whether such was or was not the case. This neglect entailed very serious consequences in many ways, one of them being that the rooms set apart for the use of the court officers could not be put into habitable condition. As a result they would be obliged to remain in the present building, thereby preventing its removal to Eden park and the construction of the new chamber of commerce building.

On account of the absence of all prospects of relief, all indications being that nothing could be done until congress should meet, the chamber of commerce folks began to feel discouraged. With plans all prepared, money all ready and nothing on their part remaining to be done to commence active work, it was aggravating to sit quietly and see all the time wasted, and the wise heads set to thinking over the matter, and the outcome of it was that at the meeting of the Board of Real Estate Managers of the chamber a resolution was adopted authorizing the appropriation of \$3,000 to complete the apartments in the custom house to be occupied by the United States court officials. That sum was thought to be sufficient. Mr. Henry C. Urner, the United States marshal, a member of the board, was given full power to expend the money, and in all things represent the board, and he will leave for Washington to consult with Secretary Manning. It is an unusual thing for the government to accept any such aid, and it is not known whether Secretary Manning will consent to do so. Should he accept, the rooms for the court officers can be completed in six weeks and the old postoffice torn down.

MURDERED.

Willis Thompson Killed by Willis Parks in Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, June 27.—A. E. Gulow is one of the earliest residents of Cumminsville. His little story-and-a-half tailor shop, on Hamilton Pike near the postoffice, was one of the landmarks of Cumminsville when it was yet a village before it became ward Twenty-five of a great city. Mr. Gulow is now a councilman from that ward, and having prospered in business, is building a new residence and store adjoining the old one.

Carrying mortar for the new building were the two hot men, Willis Parks, twenty-three, and Willis Thompson, thirty-five, both colored. There has been some enmity between them, and during the nooning they had a war of words. Suddenly Parks drew a pistol, shot Thompson in the side and fled, with Officer Daly after him. Meanwhile a crowd collected about the dying man from Tarrant's shoe factory across the way. Some one ran for a doctor, but before he arrived Thompson had breathed his last.

Daly had a long, hard chase after the fleet fugitive Parks, but finally overhauled him, and both came panting and perspiring back to the station house. Parks was locked up charged with murder.

BECOMING EPIDEMIC.

Another Man Falls From a Third-Story Window While Drunk.

CINCINNATI, June 27.—Peter Golden, aged 24, single, a sawyer, residing at the northwest corner of Twelfth and Main streets, returned to his room very drunk. The other lodgers heard him prowling about his room at 2 o'clock in the morning, followed by a heavy fall and cries on the pavement below. Investigation proved that the mangled body of the man on the sidewalk was Peter Golden. He had fallen from the window of his room on the third floor, a distance of thirty feet, and was picked up in great pain. Patrol No. 3 removed him to the city hospital. He had fractured his right arm, and it is feared sustained internal injury. His condition is considered critical.

This is the third accident of the kind within a week, two being on Twelfth street and one on Eighth.

THE CONDENSER.

Fresh, Pithy News Items Boiled Down for the Hurried Reader.

Grand Army veterans continue to enjoy themselves at Portland, Me., the time being spent in visiting points of interest about the city.

It is reported that two more negroes, charged with complicity in the murder of Mrs. Hazell, near Elkhart, Texas, were lynched.

The postmaster general has ordered that no official against whom charges have been made should be permitted to know what they are.

Karl Poller has been recognized as consul of the German empire, at Cincinnati for the states of Indiana, Kentucky, Michigan, Ohio and West Virginia.

Suspensions prevail that Abraham F. Pruyn, who was found dead in his state-room on the steamer Ailsa, was murdered and then robbed of a bag of gold.

Citizen vigilantes of Texas and Indian Territory captured twelve of a gang of outlaws who have been giving trouble. Eight were lynched and four shot.

The trustees of the Wilmington (Del.) college have decided to abolish co-education, and the girls must go, also President Purcell, who introduced the system.

Sarah Wilson and her two children were knocked from a trestle by a freight train, at North Salem, Ind. The children were killed and the mother was fatally injured.

Assistant Secretary Fairchild rules that no change in the existing practice of reapportionment of broken rice is warranted by the character and merits of the complaint.

A diplomatic agreement was entered into between the United States and Great Britain, continuing the privileges granted by the fisheries treaty through the season of 1885.

Admiral Jouett reports to the navy department the impossibility of settling the differences between the political factions on the Isthmus of Panama by peaceable measures.

David Quinn, who killed a Chinaman during a drunken Sunday brawl, in New York, pleaded guilty to a murder in the second degree, and was sentenced to imprisonment for life.

Vice President Hendricks was given a reception by the Bay State club, of Boston, in response to an introduction, Mr. Hendricks spoke at length on "civil service reform."

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

Quotations of the Stock, Produce and Cattle Markets, June 26.

New York.—Money at 1 per cent. Exchange higher at 48½¢@48¾¢. Governments firm. Currency sixes, 127½¢ bid; four, coupon, 123¼¢ bid; four-and-a-half, 112½¢ bid.

There was pressure to sell at the opening of the stock exchange this morning. First prices were generally ½ to ¾ per cent lower than they closed last evening, with Pacific Mail down ½¢, led by St. Paul, but North-western and Lackawanna were prominently weak. During this time the market was active, but it then became dull and steady, and before 11 o'clock a portion of the early losses were recovered. At 11 o'clock the market is quiet and firm. Loaning rates are easy. Total sales first hour \$2,000 shares.

Alt. & T. Hante	31½	Missouri Pacific	90½
Bur. & Quincy	12½	N. Y. & Erie	10½
Canada Pacific	40	N. Y. Central	80½
Canada Southern	41	Nash. & Chatt.	34½
Central Pacific	30½	Northwestern	9½
Chicago & Alton	13½	Northern Pac. no.	16½
C. C. & I.	29½	do preferred	31½
Del. & Hudson	78	N. Y. & Erie	21
Den. & W.	12½	Ohio & Miss.	11
Det. & W.	5	Pacific Mail	50
Illinois Central	124½	Rock Island	110½
Jersey Central	124½	St. Paul	71½
Kansas & Texas	17½	St. P. & S. C.	23
Lake Shore	36½	do preferred	17½
Louisville & Nash.	3½	Texas & Pacific	113½
Mich. Central	32½	U. Pacific	53½
Morris & Essex	118½	West. Union	62½

Cincinnati.

WHEAT—Fancy, \$4.75 @ 5.00; family, \$4.25 @ 4.50. No. 3 red, \$2.00 @ 2.25; No. 2, \$1.90 @ 2.15. CORN—No. 2 mixed, 48½¢ @ 49¢; No. 2 white, 48½¢ @ 49¢.

OATS—No. 3 mixed, 34½¢ @ 35¢; No. 2 mixed, 35¢ @ 36¢; No. 2 white, 35¢ @ 36¢. PORK—Family, \$10.75 @ 10.85; regular, \$10.80 @ 10.90.

BACON—Shoulders, 4½¢ @ 4½¢; short clear sides, \$9.20 @ 9.25. LARD—Kettle 70° 7½¢.

CHEESE—Prime to choice Ohio, 5¢ @ 5½¢; New York, 8¢ @ 8½¢; Northwestern, 2½¢ @ 2½¢.

POLTRY—Fair chickens, \$3.00 @ 3.25; prime, \$3.50 @ 3.75; spring chickens, \$1.25 @ 1.50; ducks, \$1.50 @ 2.50; geese, \$4.00 per dozen; live turkeys, 6¢ dressed, 12¢ @ 13¢.

HAY—No. 1 timothy, \$14.00 @ 14.50; No. 2, \$13.00 @ 13.50; mixed, \$12.00 @ 12.50; wheat and rye straw, \$7.00 @ 8.00; oat straw, 28.00 @ 30.00.

WOOL—Unwashed medium clothing, 17¢ @ 19¢; fine merino, 16¢ @ 17¢; common, 14¢ @ 15¢; fleeced medium clothing, 27¢ @ 28¢; combing, 27¢ @ 28¢; burr and comb, 15¢ @ 16¢; tub washed, 32¢ @ 33¢; pulled, 19¢ @ 20¢.

CATTLE—Good to choice butchers, \$4.85 @ 5.50; fair, \$3.00 @ 4.25; common, \$2.50 @ 3.75; stockers and feeders, \$1.00 @ 1.75; yearlings and calves, \$2.50 @ 3.75.

HOGS—Selected butchers, \$4.20 @ 4.50; fair to good packing, \$3.50 @ 4.20; fair to good light, \$3.25 @ 3.50; common, \$2.50 @ 3.25; culls, \$2.75 @ 3.40.

SHEEP—Common to fair, \$2.50 @ 3.25; good to choice, \$3.50 @ 4.00; spring lambs, \$4.00 @ 4.25.

New York.

WHEAT—No. 1 white, 99½¢ @ \$1.00; No. 2 red, \$1.01 @ 1.02. CORN—Mixed western, 50¢ @ 50½¢; futures, 50½¢ @ 51¢.

OATS—Western, 38¢ @ 40¢. CATTLE—\$3.40 @ 3.50 per 100 lbs. live weight. HOGS—\$4.20 @ 4.60 per 100 lbs.

SHEEP—\$4.00 @ 4.75 per 100 lbs. live weight. COTTON—Quiet. Middling uplands, 10½¢; do O. lands, 10¼¢. Futures dull, June 10.28; July, 10.30; August, 10.40; September, 10.34; October, 10.95; November, 9.90; December, 9.90.

New Orleans.

SUGAR—Refining, common, 4½¢ @ 5½¢; centrifugal white, 5¢ @ 5½¢; off white, 4½¢ @ 5½¢; choice yellow, 7¢.

MOLASSES—Good fair, 17¢ @ 18¢; prime, 20¢ @ 22¢; common, 17¢ @ 18¢.

COTTON—Middling under, 10½¢.

Chicago.

CATTLE—Choice to extra shipping, \$3.00 @ 3.10; common to fair, \$2.40 @ 3.40; stockers and feeders, \$4.00 @ 4.50; Texas, \$4.75 @ 4.25.

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